

What is claimed is:

1. A ring comprising:

5        a band consisting essentially of a first portion, a second portion facing said first portion, and a third portion and a fourth portion each being between said first portion and said second portion, said first portion having a first ditch portion formed from an outer surface thereof toward an inside thereof, said second portion having a second ditch portion formed from the outer surface thereof toward an inside thereof, said first ditch portion and said second ditch portion facing each other;

10        a first stone fitted into said first ditch portion; and

      a second stone which differs in material from said first stone and is fitted into said second ditch portion, wherein

      an exposed outer surface of said first stone does not jut from said first ditch portion,

15        an exposed outer surface of said second stone does not jut from said second ditch portion, and

      said third portion and said fourth portion do not have any ditch portion and any stone arranged therein.

20        2. The ring according to claim 1, wherein

      said first ditch portion and said second ditch portion are so arranged that when said ring is put on any of the fingers excluding the thumb and the little finger in such a manner that said outer surface of said first stone is on the back of the hand, said outer surface of said second stone is on the palm side and not seen from the back 25 of said hand, and that when said ring is put on said any of the fingers in such a

manner that said outer surface of said second stone is on the back of said hand, said outer surface of said first stone is on said palm side and not seen from said back of the hand.

5           3. The ring according to claim 1, wherein said first stone is a diamond.

4. The ring according to claim 3, wherein said second stone is a sapphire.

5. The ring according to claim 3, wherein said second stone is a ruby.

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6. The ring according to claim 3, wherein said second stone is an emerald.

7. A ring comprising:

15       a band consisting essentially of a first portion, a second portion facing said first portion, and a third portion and a fourth portion each being between said first portion and said second portion, said first portion having a first ditch portion formed from an outer surface thereof toward an inside thereof, said second portion having a plurality of second ditch portions formed from the outer surface thereof toward an inside thereof and arranged separately from each other along said outer surface of  
20       said second portion; and

          a stone fitted into said first ditch portion, wherein

          an exposed outer surface of said stone does not jut from said first ditch portion,

25       said plurality of second ditch portions form a person's initials recognized when seen from above, and

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any stone arranged therein.

8. The ring according to claim 7, wherein

5        said first ditch portion and said plurality of second ditch portions are so arranged that when said ring is put on any of the fingers excluding the thumb and the little finger in such a manner that said outer surface of said stone is on the back of the hand, said initials are on the palm side and not seen from said back of the hand, and that when said ring is put on said any of the fingers in such a manner that said initials 10      are on said back of the hand, said outer surface of said stone is on said palm side and not seen from said back of the hand.

9. The ring according to claim 7, wherein said stone is a diamond.

15        10. The ring according to claim 7, wherein said stone is a sapphire.

11. The ring according to claim 7, wherein said stone is a ruby.

12. The ring according to claim 7, wherein said stone is an emerald.

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13. A ring comprising:

      a band comprising a first portion, a second portion facing said first portion, and a third portion and a fourth portion each being between said first portion and said second portion, said band having a first ditch portion formed from an outer surface of 25      said first portion toward an inside of said first portion; and a second ditch portion

formed from an outer surface of said second portion toward an inside of said second portion, said second ditch portion facing said first ditch portion;

a first stone fitted into said first ditch portion; and

a second stone which differs in material from said first stone and is fitted

5 into said second ditch portion, wherein

said third portion and said fourth portion do not have any ditch portion and any stone arranged therein.

14. The ring according to claim 13, wherein

10 an exposed outer surface of at least one of said first stone and said second stone does not jut from the corresponding ditch portion of said first ditch portion and said second ditch portion.

15. The ring according to claim 14, wherein

15 an exposed outer surface of said first stone does not jut from said first ditch portion; and

an exposed outer surface of said second stone does not jut from said second ditch portion.

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